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of the

Town Officers

of

ALSTEAD

NEW HAMPSHIRE

for the year ending

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TOWN OFFICERS

Selectmen

CHAUNCEY J. NEWELL ROBERT M. BRACKETT
ALBERT O. YAEGER

Treasurer

DONALD MOORE

Town Clerk

HENRY C. METCALF

Supervisors

H. L. ESTABROOK HERBERT W. GREEN
ROY H. BUSS

Moderator

GEORGE W. BUSS

Ballot Clerks

LEON M. TROW BERT E. FOSTER
OLIVER O. COOK ELLIOT B. WATSON

Tax Collector

LEONARD F. BRAGG

Auditors

LEON M. TROW ELLIOT B. WATSON

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Cheshire, ss.

To the inhabitants of Alstead qualified to vote in town affairs.

You are hereby notified to meet at the town hall in said town on the 12th day of March, at nine o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles.

Art. 1. To choose a town clerk, town treasurer, selectman, tax collector, overseer of poor, one or more road agents, auditors, constables, library trustees, trustees of trust funds, fence viewers, sextons, cemetery committee, measurers of wood and surveyors of lumber, and other town officers as the voters may direct.

Art. 2. To see what sum of money the town will raise for ordinary town charges and for the support of poor.

Art. 3. To see what sum of money the town will raise for highways and bridges.

Art. 4. To see if the town will raise \$750 for state aid construction bond.

Art. 5. To see what sum of money the town will raise to oil the village streets.

Art. 6. To see if the town will raise \$1,131 for state aid construction and apply for state aid.

Art. 7. To see what sum of money the town will raise for street lights.

Art. 8. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to sell real estate acquired by tax sale.

Art. 9. To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money for the control of white pine blister rust.

Art. 10. To see if the town will vote to oil Upper Main Street from a point opposite Mr. Lakin's born south to the second driveway of Bert Dana's house the work to be done in the spring or summer months.

Art. 11. To see if the town will raise a some of money for the care of cemeteries and put a new fence on the road side of Alstead Village Cemetery.

Art. 12. To see if the town will vote to observe Old Home Day and appropriate money for the same.

Art. 13. To see if the town will raise a sum of money for Memorial Day.

Art. 14. To see if the town will vote to accept a trust fund of \$100.00 from Eveline A. Hatch Est., for the care of cemetery lot.

Art. 15. To see if the town will vote to accept a gift of \$100.00 from Clyde Cook for the care of cemetery lot.

Art. 16. To see if the town will vote to pay the Shedd-Porter Library trustees water rent for the town hall and watering trough.

Art. 17. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to deed to the school district, the property acquired for the Vilas High School.

Art. 18. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the support of the Library.

Art. 19. To hear reports and allow accounts.

Art. 20. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hand and seal that 15 day of February 1935.

C. J. NEWELL,

ROBERT M. BRACKETT,

Selectmen of Alstead.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR
THE ENSUING YEAR FEB. 1, 1935 TO JAN. 31, 1936
COMPARED WITH
ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE PRE-
VIOUS YEAR FEB. 1, 1934 TO JAN. 31, 1935

SOURCES OF REVENUE

| | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1934 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1935 |
|--|--|--|
| From state: | | |
| Interest and dividends tax, | \$215 69 | \$215 69 |
| Insurance tax, | 10 20 | 10 00 |
| Railroad tax, | 2 10 | 2 10 |
| Savings bank tax, | 263 17 | 263 00 |
| For fighting forest fires, | 2 75 | 2 75 |
| Hedgehog schedule, | 78 60 | 75 00 |
| From local sources except taxes: | | |
| Rent of town hall and other buildings, | 67 10 | 67 00 |
| Interest received on taxes and deposits, | 84 97 | 85 00 |
| Refund in highway account, | 14 35 | |
| E. R. U. construction, | 4,238 23 | |
| From local taxes other than property taxes: | | |
| (a) Poll taxes, | 524 00 | 524 00 |
| (b) National bank stock taxes, | 12 50 | 12 50 |
| Sale of cemetery lot, | 12 50 | 25 00 |
| Tax sales redeemed, | 365 72 | 350 00 |

| | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1934 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1935 |
|---|--|--|
| Filing fee, | 2 00 | |
| Support of poor—state, | 104 38 | 105 00 |
| Dog license, | 168 20 | 168 00 |
| Auto permits, 1934-1935, | 763 96 | 760 00 |
| Checks refunded, | 57 84 | |
| Amount raised by issue of bonds or notes: | | |
| Revenue from trust funds, | 4,118 17 | 4,118 17 |
| Property and poll tax previous years, | 3,641 62 | |
| Transferred from Vilas Pool Fund, | 2,000 00 | |
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1934, | 4,423 82 | 3,454 35 |
| Revenue applicable only to payments on indebtedness: | | |
| Road Sinking Fund, | 750 00 | 750 00 |
| Income from Vilas Funds, | 7,529 11 | 7,529 11 |
| <hr/> | | |
| Total revenues from all sources except property taxes, | \$29,450 98 | \$18,516 67 |
| Amount raised by property taxes, | 11,442 54 | |
| <hr/> | | |
| Total revenues, | \$40,893 52 | |

PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURES

| | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1934 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1935 |
|--|---|---|
| Current maintenance expenses: | | |
| General government: | | |
| Town officers' salaries, | \$1,065 00 | \$1,065 00 |
| Town officers' expenses, | 213 12 | 213 00 |
| Expenses town hall and other town buildings, | 1,549 17 | 1,500 00 |
| Protection of persons and property: | | |
| Police department, | 78 70 | 75 00 |
| Fire department, | 38 73 | 38 00 |
| Moth extermination—blister rust— hedgehogs, | 49 60 | 50 00 |
| Health: | | |
| Vital statistics, | 18 25 | 18 25 |
| Highways and bridges: | | |
| State aid maintenance—Town's share E. R. U., | 4,235 23 | |
| Town maintenance, | 5,586 63 | 5,000 00 |
| Street lighting, | 813 70 | 813 70 |
| Public welfare: | | |
| Town poor, | 969 93 | 1,500 00 |
| Public service enterprises: | 7,529 11 | 7,529 11 |
| Municipally owned water and electric utilities, | 99 80 | 100 00 |
| Cemeteries, | 311 85 | 400 00 |
| Markets and public scales, unclassified, | 365 25 | 365 25 |
| Interest: | | |
| On bonded debt, | 487 75 | 412 50 |
| On long term notes, | 100 00 | 100 00 |

| | Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1934 | Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1935 |
|--|---|---|
| Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements: | | |
| State aid construction—town's share, | 1,137 04 | 1,137 04 |
| Indebtedness: | | |
| Payment on principal of debt, | 1,500 00 | 1,500 00 |
| (b) Long term notes, transfer | | |
| Vilas Pool, | 2,000 00 | |
| (d) | 57 84 | |
| Payments to other governmental divisions: | | |
| State taxes, | 1,482 00 | 1,482 00 |
| County taxes, | 1,395 59 | 1,395 59 |
| Payments to precincts, | 700 00 | 700 00 |
| Payments to school districts, | 6,930 00 | 7,000 00 |
| Total expenditures, | \$34,439 17 | \$32,394 44 |

FINANCIAL REPORT
OF THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H.
 For the Fiscal Year Ending Jan. 31, 1935

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from the audited official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

C. J. NEWELL,
 R. M. BRACKETT,
 Selectmen.

D. W. MOORE,
 Treasurer.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY

| | |
|-------------------------------|--------------|
| Land and buildings, | \$684,980 00 |
| Horses, number 132, | 9,475 00 |
| Mules, number 2, | 50 00 |
| Oxen, number 19, | 1,045 00 |
| Cows, number 313, | 12,860 00 |
| Neat stock, 63, | 1,515 00 |
| Sheep, 58, | 230 00 |
| Hogs, 5, | 75 00 |
| Fowls, 1,335, | 1,055 00 |
| Portable mills, | 3,000 00 |
| Wood and lumber, | 11,035 00 |
| Gasoline tanks and pumps, 11, | 1,140 00 |
| Stock in trade, | 6,200 00 |
| Electric plants, | 29,000 00 |

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Mills and machinery, | 3,325 00 |
| Total, | <u>\$764,985 00</u> |
| Less soldiers' exemptions, | 10,570 00 |
| Total on which tax is figured, | <u>\$754,415 00</u> |

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND
TAXES ASSESSED IN 1934

APPROPRIATIONS

| | |
|---|-----------------|
| Town charges, | \$1,700 00 |
| State aid construction, | 1,146 00 |
| Town maintenance of roads and bridges, | 3,300 00 |
| Street lighting, | 850 00 |
| Town poor, | 400 00 |
| Parks and playgrounds, | 100 00 |
| Cemeteries, | 200 00 |
| Interest, | 750 00 |
| Payment on principal of debt, tractor and bond, | 2,750 00 |
| State tax, | 1,482 00 |
| County tax, | 1,395 59 |
| School tax, | <u>5,273 00</u> |
| Total town and school appropriations, | \$19,346 59 |

Less estimated revenue and credits:

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| Interest and dividend tax, | \$216 00 |
| Insurance tax, | 200 00 |
| Railroad tax, | 250 00 |
| Savings bank tax, | 200 00 |
| Motor vehicle permits, | 700 00 |
| Vilas legacy, | 2,700 00 |
| Available cash, | <u>1,000 00</u> |

5,266 00
\$14,080 59

| | |
|---|--------------------|
| Plus overlay, | 600 00 |
| Amount to be raised by taxation, | <u>\$14,681 17</u> |
| Less Poll taxes, | \$712 00 |
| National bank tax, | 12 50 |
| | <u>724 50</u> |
| Amount to be raised by property tax on which town rate is figured, | \$13,956 67 |
| Town rate, \$1.80 | |
| Precinct rate, .29 | |
| Average rate, \$1.94 | |

Taxes to be committed to the collector:

| | |
|-------------------|---------------|
| Property taxes, | \$13,956 67 |
| Poll taxes, | 712 00 |
| Nat'l bank taxes, | 12 50 |
| Precinct taxes, | <u>700 00</u> |

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Estimated amount of total taxes to be committed to collector, | \$15,381 17 |
|--|-------------|

SELECTMEN OF ALSTEAD.

ASSETS

Cash:

In hands of treasurer (Do not include sinking funds)

| | |
|-------------|-----------------|
| Town, | \$3,454 35 |
| Vilas Pool, | <u>3,360 05</u> |

\$6,814 40

Sinking funds:

(Reserved for payment of debts as provided by Sec. 2, Ch. 59, Public Laws)

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|
| (b) Cash belonging to sinking funds, | 5,607 38 |
|--------------------------------------|----------|

Accounts due to the town:

Due from state:

| | |
|--|----------|
| Hedgehog bounties, | 14 40 |
| Taxes bought by town (Do not include prop- erty actually deeded to town), | 1,321 68 |
| Addit. tax, | 250 65 |

Uncollected taxes:

| | |
|---------------------|----------|
| (a) Levy of 1934, | 3,403 26 |
| (d) Previous years, | 1,092 37 |

| | |
|---------------|-------------|
| Total assets, | \$18,504 14 |
|---------------|-------------|

LIABILITIES

Accounts owed by the town:

Due to school district:

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| (a) Dog licenses 1934, | \$155 20 |
| (b) Balance of appropriation, | 2,094 53 |
| (c) Dog license 1933, | 151 14 |

\$2,400 87

Long term notes outstanding:

| | |
|----------------|----------|
| Tractor notes, | 2,000 00 |
|----------------|----------|

Bonds outstanding:

9,000 00

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Total liabilities, | \$13,400 87 |
| Excess of assets over liabilities, (Surplus), | 5,103 27 |

| | |
|--------------|-------------|
| Grand total, | \$18,504 14 |
|--------------|-------------|

RECEIPTS

Current revenue:

From local taxes:

Property taxes committed to

collector, 1934, \$14,657 80

Less uncollected, 1934, 3,215 26

- | | |
|---|-------------|
| 1. Property taxes current year actually collected, | \$11,442 54 |
| 2. Poll taxes, current year, actually collected — at \$2.00, | 524 00 |
| 3. Property and poll taxes previous years actually collected, | 3,641 62 |
| 4. National bank stock taxes, | 12 50 |
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Total of above collections, \$15,620 66

Tax sales redeemed, \$365 72

From state:

5. For highways and bridges:

(a) Emergency relief unemployed—highway maintenance, \$4,238 23

6. Interest and dividend tax, 263 17

7. Insurance tax, 10 20

8. Railroad tax, 2 10

9. Savings bank tax, 215 69

11. Fighting forest fires, 2 75

12. Bounties, 78 60

 4,810 74

From county:

13. For support of poor, 104 38

From local sources, except taxes,

15. Dog licenses, \$168 20

18. Rent of town property, 67 10

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|
| 19. | Interest received on taxes, | 84 97 |
| 21. | Income from trust funds Vilas, | 7,529 11 |
| 25. | Registration of motor vehicles, | |
| | 1934 permits, | 404 45 |
| | Registration of motor vehicles, | |
| | 1935 permits, | 359 51 |
| | Cemetery lot, | 12 50 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 8,625 84 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total current revenue receipts, | | 29,527 34 |
| Receipts other than current revenue: | | |
| 30. | Amount taken from sinking funds | |
| | to pay principal of debt, | \$750 00 |
| 34. | Trust funds, | 4,118 17 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 4,868 17 |
| | Canceled checks returned, | \$57 84 |
| | Filing fees, | 2 00 |
| | Highway, | 14 35 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 74 19 |
| Transferred from Vilas Pool account, | | 2,000 00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total receipts from all sources, | | \$36,469 70 |
| Cash on hand February 1, 1934, | | 4,423 82 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Grand total, | | \$40,893 52 |

PAYMENTS

Current maintenance expenses:

General government:

| | | |
|----|--------------------------|------------|
| 1. | Town officers' salaries, | \$1,065 00 |
| 2. | Town officers' expenses, | 215 12 |

| | | | |
|-----|--|----------|-------------|
| 5. | Expenses town hall and other town buildings, | 271 05 | |
| | | | 1,549 17 |
| | Protection of persons and property: | | |
| 6. | Police department, including care of tramps, | 78 70 | |
| 7. | Fire department, including forest fires, | 38 73 | |
| 9. | Bounties, | 49 60 | |
| | | | 167 03 |
| | Health: | | |
| 12. | Vital statistics, | | 18 25 |
| | Highways and bridges: | | |
| 14. | Emergency relief unemployed—highway maintenance, | 4,238 23 | |
| 16. | Town maintenance, | 5,586 63 | |
| 17. | Street lighting and sprinkling, | 813 70 | |
| | | | 10,638 56 |
| | Charities: | | |
| 21. | Town poor, | | 969 93 |
| | Recreation: | | |
| | | | 99 80 |
| 25. | Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts Vilas fund, | | 7,529 11 |
| | Public service enterprises: | | |
| 28. | Cemeteries, including hearse hire, | | 311 85 |
| | Unclassified: | | 365 25 |
| | | | |
| | Total current maintenance expenses, | | \$21,648 95 |

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Interest: | |
| 33. Paid on long term notes, | 100 00 |
| 34. Paid on bonded debt, | 487 75 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total interest payments, | 587 75 |
| Outlay for new construction and permanent improvements: | |
| 36. Highways and bridges—state aid construction, | 1,137 04 |
| Indebtedness: | |
| 46. Payments on bonded debt, | 1,500 00 |
| Payments to other governmental divisions: | |
| 50. Taxes paid to state, | 1,482 00 |
| 51. Taxes paid to county, | 1,395 59 |
| 52. Payments to precincts, | 700 00 |
| 53. Payments to school districts, | 6,930 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total payments to other governmental divisions, | 10,507 59 |
| Canceled checks, | 57 84 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total payments for all purposes, | \$35,439 17 |
| Cash on hand January 31, 1935, | 3,454 35 |
| Returned amount transferred from Vilas Pool account, | 2,000 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Grand total, | \$40,893 52 |

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| Description | Value |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. Town hall, lands and buildings, | \$10,000 00 |
| Furniture and equipment, | 900 00 |
| 2. Libraries, lands and buildings, | 125,000 00 |

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|---|---------------------|
| Furniture and equipment, | 5,000 00 |
| 3. Police department, lands and buildings, | 150 00 |
| 4. Fire department, lands and buildings, | 500 00 |
| Equipment, | 500 00 |
| 5. Highway department, lands and buildings, | 100 00 |
| Equipment, | 3,000 00 |
| 6. Parks, commons and playgrounds, | 10,000 00 |
| 9. Schools, lands and buildings, | 150,000 00 |
| Equipment, | 5,000 00 |
| Total, | <u>\$310,000 00</u> |

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT IN ACCOUNT WITH DOG LICENSES

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|--|-----------------|----|
| Whole number of dogs licensed in town, | | 85 |
| 78 male dogs at \$2.00, | \$156 00 | |
| 7 female dogs at \$5.00, | 35 00 | |
| No. 16 license fee refunded, | 20 | |
| Error paying treasurer Nov. 5, | 1 00 | |
| | <u>\$192 20</u> | |

EXPENDITURES

| | | |
|--|----------------|----------|
| Fees for 85 licenses, | \$17 00 | |
| License No. 16 refunded town of Acworth, | 5 00 | |
| Sept. 1933 license paid treas. twice, | 2 00 | |
| | <u>\$24 00</u> | |
| Balance paid town treasurer. | | \$168 20 |

I hereby certify, that the above account is true and correct,
to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY C. METCALF,

Town Clerk.

| | |
|---|----------|
| Paid John Allen, dog constable order 297, | \$10 00 |
| Paid H. C. Metcalf, dog tags order 344, | 3 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 13 00 |
| Due school, | 155 20 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$168 20 |

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Year Ending Jan. 31, 1935

| | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| Amount of warrant, | \$15,382 30 |
| Amount collected, | 11,969 64 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance uncollected, | \$3,663 31 |

LEONARD F. BRAGG,
Collector.

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

For Year Ending Jan. 31, 1935

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Cash on hand February 1, 1934, | \$4,423 82 |
|--------------------------------|------------|

Received from :

| | |
|--|-----------|
| H. C. Metcalf, 1934 auto tax, | 352 06 |
| H. C. Metcalf, 1935 auto tax, | 411 90 |
| H. C. Metcalf, dog licenses, | 168 20 |
| H. C. Metcalf, filing fee, | 2 00 |
| L. F. Bragg, 1933 taxes, | 3,286 45 |
| L. F. Bragg, 1934 taxes, | 11,979 04 |
| Selectmen, back taxes, | 805 86 |
| Selectmen, hedgehog bounties, | 78 60 |
| Selectmen, old age benefit, | 67 00 |
| Selectmen, Vilas funds, | 4,118 17 |
| Selectmen, town hall rent, | 42 10 |
| Selectmen, sinking fund, | 750 00 |
| Selectmen, temporary loan from Pool funds, | 2,000 00 |
| Selectmen, sale of grass, | 25 00 |
| Selectmen, E. R. U., | 4,238 23 |
| Selectmen, sale of cemetery lots, | 12 50 |
| Selectmen, cancelled town orders, | 57 84 |
| Selectmen, unclassified, | 545 64 |

| | |
|-----------------|-------------|
| Total receipts, | \$33,364 41 |
|-----------------|-------------|

EXPENDITURES

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Selectmen's orders, | \$29,910 06 |
|---------------------|-------------|

| | |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1935, | \$3,454 35 |
|----------------------------|------------|

| | |
|---------------------------------|------------|
| Frozen assets Charlestown bank, | 507 15 |
| Actual available cash, | \$2,947 20 |

VILAS POOL REPORT
RECEIPTS

| | |
|--|------------|
| Cash on hand February 1, 1934, | \$2,499 58 |
| Received from: | |
| Selectmen, Vilas fund, | 3,017 81 |
| Selectmen, temporary loan to town account, | 2,000 00 |
| Selectmen, sale of ice, | 11 70 |
| Total receipts, | \$7,529 09 |

EXPENDITURES

| | |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Orders drawn by selectmen, | \$4,169 06 |
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1935, | \$3,360 03 |

DON W. MOORE,
Treasurer.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the town treasurer and find them correct with proper vouchers.

LEON M. TROW,
ELLIOTT B. WATSON,
Auditors of Alstead, N. H.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

| | |
|---|------------------|
| W. D. Stevens, selectman, | \$200 00 |
| C. J. Newell, selectman, | 200 00 |
| R. M. Brackett, selectman, | 200 00 |
| G. W. Buss, moderator, | 16 00 |
| L. M. Trow, auditor and ballot clerk, | 16 00 |
| L. F. Bragg, collector, | 150 00 |
| O. A. Cook, ballot clerk, | 6 00 |
| B. E. Foster, ballot clerk, | 6 00 |
| H. C. Metcalf, town clerk, | 75 00 |
| R. H. Buss, supervisor, | 15 00 |
| H. W. Green, supervisor, | 15 00 |
| Don W. Moore, treasurer, | 150 00 |
| Dr. E. B. Watson, auditor and ballot clerk, | 16 00 |
| | <hr/> \$1,065 00 |

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

| | |
|---|----------------|
| Postmaster, postage, | \$10 50 |
| Moore Brothers, printing, | 6 00 |
| Dow Mfg. Co., dog tags, | 5 40 |
| L. M. Trow, premium on bonds, | 33 50 |
| E. C. Eastman Co., tax books, | 7 95 |
| Moore Brothers, printing, | 9 00 |
| H. C. Metcalf, auto permits, | 67 75 |
| H. C. Metcalf, dog, book, express, and other items, | 12 32 |
| Moore Brothers, printing, | 1 90 |
| E. C. Eastman Co., printing check lists, | 19 75 |
| Don W. Moore, postage and treasurers expense, | 21 90 |
| | <hr/> \$199 12 |

VITAL STATISTICS

| | |
|-------------------|---------|
| Vital statistics, | \$18 25 |
|-------------------|---------|

INTEREST

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Paid interest on Tractor note, | \$100 25 |
| Paid interest on bonds, | 487 75 |

STATE AID ROAD BONDS

| | |
|----------------|-----------|
| Amount issued, | 22,500 00 |
| Amount paid, | 13,500 00 |
| Amount unpaid, | 9,000 00 |

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Amount raised, | 1,146 00 |
| Amount expended by state, | 3,411 12 |
| Town's share, | 1,137 04 |

EMERGENCY UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

| | |
|----------------------|----------|
| Paid by town, | 4,238 23 |
| Received from state, | 4,238 23 |

PAID TO OTHER GOVERNMENTAL DIVISIONS

| | |
|-------------|----------|
| State tax, | 1,482 00 |
| County tax, | 1,395 59 |
| Precinct, | 700 00 |

POOR ACCOUNT

| | |
|--|----------|
| Advanced for relief administration, | \$104 38 |
| N. H. relief administration expended in Alstead | |
| \$2,271.48, Alstead paid $\frac{1}{4}$, | 567 87 |
| Paid W. E Crabtree bill of 1933, | 6 81 |
| Paid in Jan. 35, | |
| Funeral expenses, | 83 00 |
| Transportation and doctors bill to state hospital, | 28 00 |
| Old age benefit, | 83 00 |
| Relief in month, | 79 75 |
| Paid share salary unemployment adm., | 17 12 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$969 93 |
| Received from relief adm., | \$104 38 |

TOWN HALL EXPENSE

| | |
|--------------------------------------|---------|
| Paid for slate and repairs on roof, | \$24 78 |
| Paid H. J. Jackson, electrical work, | 2 90 |
| Paid janitor, | 49 99 |
| L. M. Trow, insurance, | 82 80 |
| Paid for wood, | 24 75 |
| Paid for lights, | 27 60 |
| Paid H. C. Metcalf bill, | 12 17 |

 \$224 99

STREET LIGHTS

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Paid for street lights, | \$813 70 |
|-------------------------|----------|

CEMETERIES

| | |
|---|---------|
| Paid C. L. Linsley work at Alstead Center, | \$18 00 |
| Paid H. W. Green work at Alstead, | 50 85 |
| Paid A. E. Wilder work at East Alstead, | 30 00 |
| Paid L. M. Trow work at Alstead and digging graves, | 91 00 |
| Paid Heman Chase, surveying the Alstead Center cemetery, | 122 00 |

 \$311 85

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| Received from sale of lot, | \$12 50 |
| Paid vital statistics, | \$12 25 |

REPORT ON THE BUILDING OF
VILAS HIGH SCHOOL

| | |
|---|------------|
| Paid for real estate, Lawton \$4,000; Kent \$2,500; Tuttle \$1,000; Newell \$100, | \$7,600 00 |
| Paid Buss pipe line, legal, expenses surveying and other items, | 817 15 |
| Paid Scott, contractor, building, roofing, heating, plumbing, ventilating and electrical work, | 117,243 92 |
| Artesian well, | 862 50 |
| Pease Sewage Disposal Co., | 561 80 |
| Insurance, | 815 72 |

| | |
|-------------------------|----------|
| Premium on bond, | 1,260 00 |
| Part of architects fee, | 5,804 64 |
| For equipment, | 6,829 17 |

\$141,794 90

There are unpaid obligations of about \$27,000.

VILAS POOL ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Cash on hand February 1, 1934, | \$2,499 60 |
|--------------------------------|------------|

Received from:

| | |
|---|----------|
| Selectmen, Vilas fund, | 3,017 81 |
| Treasurer, temporary loan repaid from town account, | 2,000 00 |
| Selectmen, sale of ice, | 11 70 |

| | |
|-----------------|------------|
| Total receipts, | \$7,529 11 |
|-----------------|------------|

EXPENDITURES

ORDERS DRAWN BY SELECTMEN

PAYMENTS

| | |
|---------------------------|----------|
| Superintendent, | \$508 90 |
| Chimes and music, | 266 50 |
| Other help, | 739 38 |
| Telephone and lights, | 99 05 |
| Insurance, | 126 00 |
| Police, | 69 75 |
| Other expenses, | 359 48 |
| Transferred to town act., | 2,000 00 |

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|---|------------|
| | \$4,169 06 |
| Cash on hand (Keene Nat'l B'nk Feb. 1, 1935), | \$3,360 05 |

DON W. MOORE,
Treasurer.

ACCOUNT WITH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

| | |
|-------------------------------------|------------|
| Balance due the district from 1933, | \$3,751 53 |
| Appropriation for 1934, | 5,273 00 |
| Total, | \$9,024 53 |
| Paid school district, | 6,930 00 |
| Balance due the school district, | 2,094 53 |
| Dog licenses in 1934, | 155 20 |
| Dog licenses in 1933, | 151 14 |
| Total due the school district, | \$2,400 87 |

UNCLASSIFIED

| | |
|--|----------|
| Printing town reports, | \$126 00 |
| B. H. Bragg, legal expenses, | 25 00 |
| W. M. Chaplin, recording deeds, | 16 01 |
| L. F. Bragg, collector, taxes bought by town, | 123 86 |
| Telephone bill, | 2 70 |
| P. H. Faulkner, legal expenses of special meeting, | 61 40 |
| C. J. Newell, legal notices at tax sale work on grounds at the dedication of the high school, | 10 28 |
| | \$265 25 |

C. J. NEWELL,

R. M. BRACKETT,

A. O. YAEGER,

Selectmen of Alstead.

We the auditors of the Town of Alstead have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find them correct with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,

LEON M. TROW,

Auditors of Alstead.

REPORT OF ROAD AGENT

| | |
|---|------------|
| Amount expended on roads and bridges, | \$5,586 63 |
| Amount appropriated at spring meeting, | \$3,300 00 |
| Amount appropriated at special meeting, | 1,500 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 4,800 00 |
| Over draft, | 786 63 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$5,586 53 |

The pay for labor was 25 cents per hour until May and 35 cents the balance of the year.

The pay for teams was 50 and 70 cents per hour.

The pay for trucks was \$1.00 and \$1.30 per hour for trucks.

The amounts given below are the total paid each party for the entire year.

LABOR

| | |
|---------------------|--------|
| Peter Aucton, | \$9 45 |
| James Brooks, | 22 50 |
| Leon Britton, | 56 40 |
| W. B. Burroughs, | 21 83 |
| Geo. Boleo, | 15 85 |
| Paul Balla, | 5 00 |
| Geo. Bean, | 26 43 |
| Clifford Burroughs, | 2 00 |
| Albert Burroughs, | 9 75 |
| Blanchard, | 4 00 |
| Don Champney, | 2 67 |
| Ed. Crosby, | 16 80 |
| Ora Crosby, | 16 80 |

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|--------------------|--------|
| R. S. Craig, | 13 65 |
| Harry Craig, | 7 62 |
| Chas. Craig, | 2 00 |
| S. S. Craig, | 9 80 |
| Wm. Comstock, | 24 40 |
| Earl Comstock, | 1 25 |
| Geo. H. Comstock, | 22 25 |
| Jessie Comstock, | 6 05 |
| Geo. L. Comstock, | 4 05 |
| Mike Cheplich, | 5 75 |
| John Cheplich, | 6 75 |
| Frank Clark, | 75 10 |
| Hugh Clark, | 11 20 |
| Chas. Chamberlain, | 10 20 |
| Frank Cheplich, | 4 75 |
| Comtois, | 3 50 |
| Dunn, | 4 75 |
| Gilman Ellis, | 10 25 |
| A. Emerson, | 5 00 |
| B. E. Foster, | 42 00 |
| Elton Foster, | 13 65 |
| Ray Fuller, | 15 60 |
| Claire, | 16 05 |
| Fullerton, | 3 15 |
| Jessie Grout, | 44 15 |
| J. H. Grout, | 6 90 |
| C. E. Hatch, | 248 77 |
| R. B. Hamblin, | 33 40 |
| Elmer Henry, | 36 33 |
| Geo. Henry, | 10 75 |
| Richard Henry, | 3 25 |
| Barnard Henry, | 3 75 |
| Geo. Hodgskins, | 11 25 |
| Kenneth Hatch, | 55 65 |
| Earl Hammond, | 5 90 |
| A. Hammond, | 3 65 |

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|--------------------|-------|
| Seth Hammond, | 75 |
| W. F. Hammond, | 13 20 |
| W. D. Hayes, | 55 30 |
| A. M. Hall, | 20 13 |
| Eddie Howard, | 11 03 |
| Ray Jefts, | 3 44 |
| A. Keyes, | 1 50 |
| E. Griffin, | 1 50 |
| H. Grant, | 5 77 |
| L. E. Kemp, | 18 55 |
| A. Kerceovich, | 3 00 |
| J. A. Langland, | 31 85 |
| Clarence Metcalf, | 41 30 |
| Lee Mousley, | 53 70 |
| Ruby Miles, | 2 63 |
| E. Nichols, | 19 50 |
| Maurice Pitcher, | 21 40 |
| H. Pederson, | 1 25 |
| H. J. Pratt, | 39 65 |
| Forrest Pratt, | 2 80 |
| S. S. Pratt, | 3 25 |
| Francis Pratt, | 3 25 |
| Harvey Pratt, | 10 95 |
| Albert Porter, | 14 35 |
| Edward Porter, | 15 75 |
| Fred Porter, | 15 75 |
| Mrs. H. O. Porter, | 68 00 |
| Earl Rhoades, | 2 00 |
| Bayard Rhoades, | 15 05 |
| Floyd Rhoades, | 32 55 |
| Elmer Rhoades, | 75 |
| Walter Simeno, | 5 00 |
| Clyde Stevens, | 17 50 |
| John Smith, | 3 25 |
| Frank Smith, | 3 25 |
| Geo. Smith, | 2 00 |

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|-----------------|-------|
| Lewey Smith, | 2 00 |
| John Smith, | 6 00 |
| John Synosky, | 2 45 |
| Chas. Simmons, | 2 45 |
| Roland Simmons, | 14 15 |
| Earl Simmons, | 2 80 |
| Walter Savory, | 4 50 |
| B. R. Taylor, | 3 50 |
| C. H. Wheeler, | 10 15 |
| Chas. Wilson, | 35 40 |
| Geo. Wilson, | 36 90 |
| Geo. Winham, | 42 28 |
| Chas. Winham, | 9 45 |
| A. E. Wilder, | 18 47 |
| P. A. Washburn, | 2 80 |
| Harold Winham, | 2 80 |
| Morgan Whitten, | 75 |
| Henry Wood, | 15 10 |
| Fred Ramsey, | 19 13 |
| Lewis Russell, | 36 85 |

\$18,208 38

TEAMS

| | |
|--------------------|---------|
| R. S. Craig, | \$45 95 |
| Chas. Craig, | 3 50 |
| J. H. Grout, | 75 10 |
| C. E. Hatch, | 26 80 |
| A. M. Hall, | 85 45 |
| Ray Jefts, | 10 02 |
| L. E. Kemp, | 21 30 |
| H. L. Lund, | 14 00 |
| S. S. Pratt, | 20 40 |
| Mrs. H. O. Porter, | 119 00 |
| Earl Rhoades, | 23 20 |
| John Smith, | 15 50 |
| Chas. Simmons, | 28 50 |

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|----------------|-------|
| C. H. Wheeler, | 12 20 |
| Joe Tinker, | 9 63 |
| Walter Simeno, | 19 60 |
| Z. Patch, | 7 60 |
| N. H. Croto, | 10 50 |
| Fred Griffith, | 2 80 |

\$551 05

LUMBER

| | |
|---------------|---------|
| C. E. Hatch, | \$63 19 |
| Hugh Clark, | 37 35 |
| C. J. Newell, | 37 23 |
| Watson Co., | 17 00 |
| Elmer Henry, | 5 00 |

\$159 77

TRUCKS

| | |
|----------------------|---------|
| Charles Chamberlain, | \$68 90 |
| E. M. Pitcher, | 116 35 |
| C. E. Hatch, | 836 89 |
| R. B. Hamblin, | 155 45 |
| Ray Hesselton, | 52 20 |
| Lee Allen, | 10 40 |
| Jesse Grout, | 22 00 |

\$1,259 99

GRAVEL

| | |
|----------------|--------|
| Alice Howard, | \$5 80 |
| Jesse Grout, | 17 30 |
| Fred Griffith, | 13 80 |

\$36 90

TRACTOR

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Repairs, | \$298 08 |
| Geo. Benware, gas, oil, repairs, | 482 69 |

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|-------------------------------|-------|
| W. R. Burroughs, gas and oil, | 9 31 |
| Chas. LaFrank, gas and oil, | 21 80 |
| H. Jackson, | 9 50 |

\$821 38

DRIVING TRACTOR

| | |
|-----------------|---------|
| L. F. Bragg, | \$25 69 |
| C. E. Hatch, | 71 22 |
| R. B. Hamblin, | 161 20 |
| Gilman Ellis, | 36 75 |
| P. A. Washburn, | 6 88 |

\$301 74

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|---|----------|
| Paid Golden-Keene Co., work on Gilsum road, | \$106 00 |
| Paid Town of Gilsum, work on Gilsum road, | 6 00 |
| Paid Kopper Products Co., oil for streets, | 227 74 |
| Paid N. E. Metal Culverts Co., | 46 87 |
| Paid Vermont Concrete Pipe Co., | 148 40 |
| Paid H. C. Metcalf, bill hardware, | 15 39 |
| Paid Howard Hardware Co., hardware, | 9 24 |
| Paid H. J. Jewett, blacksmith bill, | 19 12 |
| Paid Geo. Benware, work on Grant road, | 50 00 |
| Paid express and telephone, | 6 21 |

\$634 97

CARROLL E. HATCH,

Road Agent.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Feb. 1, 1935

| Name of Fund | Principal | Dividend | Paid Out |
|----------------------------|------------|----------|----------|
| Warren Monument Fund, | \$5,262 00 | \$185 77 | \$185 77 |
| Shedd-Porter Library, | 30,000 00 | 772 87 | 772 87 |
| Kimball Library Fund, | 2,465 19 | 87 02 | 87 02 |
| Carpenter Library Fund, | 500 00 | 17 64 | 17 64 |
| C. F. Warren Library Fund, | 5,650 00 | 240 12 | 240 12 |
| Kingsbury School Fund, | 606 00 | 18 18 | 18 18 |
| Cemetery Trust Funds, | 6,110 00 | 214 52 | 206 69 |

C. J. NEWELL,
H. L. ESTABROOK,
E. F. BATCHELDER,
Trustees.

We, the auditors of the town of Alstead have examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds and find them correct.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,
LEON M. TROW,
Auditors.

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

| Name of Fund | Principal | Balance | Dividend | Expended | Balance |
|---------------------|------------|---------|----------|----------|---------|
| Holbrook, | \$200.00 | \$.10 | \$7.10 | \$7.20 | |
| Wells & Smith, | 510.00 | | 17.87 | 17.87 | |
| Edith Kimball, | 200.00 | 4.22 | 7.10 | 10.00 | \$1.32 |
| Gibson, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Browne, | 500.00 | 37.87 | 17.65 | 19.87 | 35.65 |
| Lovell, | 200.00 | .06 | 7.10 | 7.16 | |
| Elwell, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Porter (Wentworth), | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Banks, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| J. C. Kimball, | 500.00 | 29.55 | 17.65 | 24.00 | 23.20 |
| Mary A. Dinsmore, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Milliken, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Shepard, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Hatch (Graves), | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Emerson, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Breed (Green), | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Wood, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Smith, | 200.00 | .46 | 7.10 | 7.00 | .56 |
| Glover, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Fay, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| W. W. Dinnsmore, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Blake, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Proctor (Meriam), | 100.00 | 2.08 | 3.54 | 2.00 | 3.62 |
| Vine Porter, | 200.00 | 1.64 | 7.10 | 5.50 | 3.24 |
| F. L. Prentiss, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Cook, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Patridge, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Rogers, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Colburn, | 200.00 | .10 | 7.10 | 5.00 | 2.20 |
| Lucy Porter, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Belt (French), | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Chandler, | 100.00 | .04 | 3.54 | 3.58 | |
| Vilas, | 1,000.00 | 7.25 | 35.00 | 20.00 | 22.25 |
| Wallace, | 100.00 | | 2.33 | 2.33 | |
| | \$6,110.00 | \$84.21 | \$214.52 | \$206.69 | \$92.04 |
| | | | 84.21 | 92.04 | |
| | | | \$298.73 | \$298.73 | |

Balance cash on hand Feb. 1, 1935,
 Eveline A. Hatch fund being held subject to
 acceptance by town,

\$92.04

100.00

C. J. NEWELL,
 H. L. ESTABROOK,
 E. F. BATCHELDER,

Trustees.

**STATEMENT OF THE TREASURER OF THE
SHEDD-PORTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY
For the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1935**

RECEIPTS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1934, | \$460 30 |
| Shedd-Porter fund, | 772 87 |
| Warren fund, | 240 12 |
| Water rents, | 40 00 |
| From Walpole Savings Bank, | 664 83 |
| Loan for completion of water works, | 230 00 |
| Sale of pipe, | 21 16 |
| Donation from Mrs. Shedd, | 2,400 00 |

| | |
|-----------------|------------|
| Total receipts, | \$4,829 28 |
|-----------------|------------|

PAYMENTS

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Salaries, | \$740 00 |
| Magazines and books, | 105 77 |
| Light and heat, | 303 49 |
| Maintenance and repairs, | 23 61 |
| Incidentals, | 21 46 |
| Installation of water system, | 3,349 54 |
| Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1935, | 285 41 |

\$4,839 28

The water works installation cost a larger sum than the money available. The necessary funds to complete the work were obtained by a loan of \$230 secured by the individual notes of certain water users. This loan will be retired as income from water rents permits.

J. S. CHIVERS

Treasurer.

We have examined the accounts of the Treasurer of the Shedd-Porter Library for the year ending Jan. 31, 1935, and find them correct with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,

LEON M. TROW,

Auditors of Alstead.

**REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN OF THE
SHEDD-PORTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY
For the Year Ending Jan. 31, 1935**

| | |
|---|-------|
| Number of volumes at beginning of year, | 4,020 |
| Number of volumes added by purchase, | 41 |
| Number of volumes added by gift, | 38 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 4,099 |
| Number of volumes discarded, | 20 |
| | <hr/> |
| | 4,079 |
| Number of magazines currently received, | 30 |
| Pamphlets on file, | 812 |
| Number of volumes, fiction lent, | 4,424 |
| Number of volumes non-fiction lent, | 583 |
| Number of magazines lent, | 1,800 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total circulation of year, | 6,807 |
| New borrowers added, | 96 |

Deposit station maintained at East Alstead.

LINA L. BATCHELDER,

Librarian.

PRECINCT TREASURER'S REPORT

From Jan. 31, 1934 to Feb. 1, 1935

SCHEDULE OF PRECINCT PROPERTY

| Description | Value |
|---|----------|
| Property of Town of Alstead: | |
| Gas engine driven pump bought by Alstead, | |
| 1 hose truck bought by precinct cost, | \$75 00 |
| 1 portable gas engine driven pump | |
| bought precinct, | 750 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total valuation, | \$825 00 |

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--|------------|
| Current revenue: | |
| From taxes, | \$700 00 |
| Service Fire Co., Craig fire Alstead, | 11 48 |
| Service Fire Co., Bragg fire Langdon, | 29 75 |
| From other sources: | |
| Frozen assets Bellows Falls Nat'l Bank, | |
| Feb. 1, 1934, | \$47 18 |
| Frozen assets Bellows Falls Nat'l Bank, | |
| Feb. 1, 1935, | 24 54 |
| | <hr/> |
| Liquidation 2nd Div., | \$22 64 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total receipts from all sources, | \$763 87 |
| Cash on hand beginning of year Feb. 1, 1934, | 327 26 |
| | <hr/> |
| Grand total, | \$1,091 13 |

PAYMENTS

| | |
|---|------------|
| Current maintenance expenses: | \$120 49 |
| New equipment, | 752 50 |
| Paid firemen, Bragg fire Langdon, | 6 50 |
| Paid firemen, Craig fire Alstead, | 11 48 |
| Paid firemen, Auiger fire precinct, | 5 25 |
| Paid firemen, Knight fire precinct, | 14 63 |
| Paid firemen, Ober fire precinct, | 3 25 |
| Paid firemen, Mrs. Ware fire precinct, | 3 38 |
| Paid firemen attending meetings, | 12 50 |
| Precinct officers, | 85 00 |
| Stationery and postage, | 3 25 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total payments for all purposes, | \$1,023 23 |
| Cash on hand at end of year Feb. 1, 1935, | 67 90 |
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| Grand total, | \$1,091 13 |

M. A. CURRIER,
Treasurer Alstead Precinct.

We have examined the accounts of the Precinct Treasurer and find them correct with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,
Town Auditor.

SCHOOL WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Cheshire, ss.

To the inhabitants of the school district in the Town of Alstead qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall, in said district on the 12th day of March, 1935, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Art. 1 To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

Art. 2 To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Art. 3 To choose a member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Art. 4 To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Art. 5 To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agents of the district.

Art. 6 To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Art. 7 To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Art. 8 To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the School Board in its annual report.

Art. 9 To see if the district will vote to sell a portion of the Vilas High School site.

Art. 10 To see what amount the district will vote to raise in payment of notes for the support of the temporary high school.

Art. 11 To see if the district will authorize the School Board to borrow money on notes for the support of the Vilas High School, if necessary.

Given under our hands at said Alstead this day of 1935.

MAYBELLE H. STILL,
DR. PARKER B. STEVENS,
CARROLL E. HATCH,
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—attest:

MAYBELLE H. STILL,
DR. PARKER B. STEVENS,
CARROLL E. HATCH,
School Board.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Alstead:

I herewith submit my second report as Superintendent of Schools.

ORGANIZATION AND ENROLLMENT

No changes were made in the teaching positions of the elementary schools this year. The teachers are all well qualified for work with their particular groups. They have been loyal, enthusiastic, and cooperative.

School work is being accomplished in accordance with the standards of the state. Standard achievement tests are being given and reports are required relative to the work completed in each grade.

Because of the decrease in enrollment, the school at Center Alstead was closed this year. The pupils from this section are being transported to the school at Alstead village.

The removal of pupils from grades seven and eight of the village school necessitated a reorganization of work in this school. The school is now organized for instruction in two units of three grades each. Pupils from the Porter district, from Center Alstead, and from a section of Acworth are now attending this school. The enrollment is slightly larger than it was at this time last year.

Milk is being supplied to twenty pupils in the Alstead schools. Cod liver oil is provided and given by recommendation of the school nurse. These are provided from federal funds.

VILAS HIGH SCHOOL

The Vilas High School was organized in the fall of 1934. Because of the delay in the construction of the new building, it was necessary to start the school in temporary quarters. Funds for this purpose were appropriated at a special meeting of the School District.

The town hall building was made available for the school. The upper hall was partitioned into three rooms. The organization rooms and selectmen's office were used for the junior high school and freshman classes. Temporary toilets were installed and a supplementary heater was purchased for the corner room on the upper floor. The building was very well adapted to the purpose and a very satisfactory school was conducted here until January 7, 1935. On this date the school was transferred to the new building.

The school was organized with work in four major curricula; viz., General Academic, Agriculture, Home Economics, and Commercial. One hundred and thirteen pupils are enrolled in the six year program. The school was planned to meet the secondary school needs of Alstead and surrounding towns. The school membership is comprised of pupils from Acworth, Marlow, Langdon, and Alstead.

Further details regarding the organization of the school are included in the report of the headmaster.

TEACHING STAFF

Considerable care was used in the selection of the first teachers. Paul J. Fenton of Derry was elected as the first Headmaster. He is a graduate of the University of New Hampshire and has had graduate study at Cornell University. Mr. Fenton had five years teaching experience before coming to Alstead.

Mr. Richard Martin, a graduate of the University of New Hampshire, was elected to teach the courses in mathematics and science.

Miss Gertrude Nye, graduated from the University of New Hampshire. She had taught English and French for four years at Colbrook Academy.

Miss Frances Pierce is a graduate of Keene Normal School. She was for two years in charge of the Home Economics work at the Quimby school.

Miss Amelia Witt, graduated from the College of Business Administration, Boston University. She taught commercial subjects for three years in the high school at Fort Fairfield, Maine.

Miss Christine Jones was elected to teach all the courses in social science. She is a graduate of Middlebury College.

Miss Alice Currier, Boston University, College of Music, teaches the music in the high and village schools on one day each week.

The pupils at the village school appreciate the gift which is given each year at Christmas by a friend.

Summary of Enrollment, January 15, 1935:

| | |
|--------------------|-----|
| Vilas High School, | 73 |
| Vilas Junior High, | 40 |
| Village Advanced, | 25 |
| Village Primary, | 27 |
| East Alstead, | 15 |
| Mica Mine, | 17 |
| Rhoades, | 15 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total, | 212 |

BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT

Minor repairs have been made in each school as the need has arisen. The interior of the building at the Mica Mine was re-decorated during the summer. The flag pole was repaired and painted.

STATISTICAL REPORT 1933-1934

| | |
|---------------------|--------|
| Total registration, | 123 |
| Average membership, | 108.26 |

| | |
|---------------------------------------|-------|
| Percentage of attendance, | 94.45 |
| Cases of tardiness, | 232. |
| Number of pupils not absent or tardy, | 3 |

HONOR ROLL

Pupils not absent or tardy during the year:

Maynard Mousley

John Molesky

Richard Wilson

Although there is an improvement in the number of cases of tardiness, the number of pupils with a perfect record of attendance has decreased. A poor record of attendance in many cases causes retardation.

Last year thirty-seven Alstead pupils were receiving instruction in schools outside the district. The schools which they attended were as follows:

| | |
|----------------------------|----|
| Walpole elementary, | 8 |
| Gilsum elementary, | 1 |
| Walpole High School, | 4 |
| Bellows Falls High School, | 21 |
| Keene High School, | 3 |

This year all pupils are attending schools within the district.

I wish to direct your attention to the following supplementary reports:

1. List of Teachers, 1934-1935.
2. Report of Headmaster, Vilas High School.
3. Report of School Nurse.
4. Report of Supervisor of Music.

I wish to express appreciation of the generous cooperation which I have received from the members of the School Board, teachers, parents, and pupils.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES D. DALZELL,
Superintendent of Schools.

The following copy of the first Statement of Approval for the Vilas High School is included as a matter of historic record.

COPY B Form 13

NEW HAMPSHIRE
STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Concord, January 31, 1935.

In accordance with authority vested by law in this office

VILAS HIGH SCHOOL, ALSTEAD (A-6)

is hereby approved as a High School within the meaning of Chapter 119, section 22 of the Public Laws of 1926, for the school year ending June 30, 1935.

Signed

JAMES N. PRINGLE,
Commissioner of Education,

LIST OF TEACHERS 1934-1935
ALSTEAD ELEMENTARY

| Name | Position or Grade | Training School or College |
|----------------------|----------------------|---|
| Mildred R. Moulthrop | Village 4-5-6 | Nashua H. S. and Plymouth Normal School |
| Margaret Schnare | Village 1-2-3 | Framingham Normal School |
| Mildred I. Angier | East Alstead | Keene Normal School |
| Lewis A. Snow | Mica Mine | Kirksville Teachers College and Plymouth Normal School. |
| Lulu Stylianos | Rhoades | Keene Normal School |

VILAS HIGH SCHOOL

| Name | Position | Training School or College |
|----------------|------------|-------------------------------|
| Paul J. Fenton | Headmaster | University of N. H. |

| | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Richard A. Martin | Math. and Science | University of N. H. |
| Gertrude E. Nye | English and French | University of N. H. |
| Frances E. Pierce | Home Economics | Keene Normal School |
| Amelia E. Witt | Commercial | Boston University |
| M. Christine Jones | Social Sciences | Middlebury College |
| Alice Currier | Music | Boston University |

VILAS HIGH SCHOOL
ALSTEAD, N. H.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER

February 5, 1935

Mr. Charles D. Dalzell,
Superintendent of Schools,
Walpole, New Hampshire.

Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my report as headmaster of Vilas High School.

REGISTRATION

| | Jr. High | Sr. High | Total |
|------------------------------------|----------|----------|-------|
| September 10, 1934, First Day, | 38 | 73 | 111 |
| Registration since Sept. 10, 1934, | 1 | 11 | 12 |
| Transferred or left, | 1 | 9 | 10 |
| Registration January 31, 1935, | 38 | 75 | 113 |

The attendance record of the school was seriously affected early in the fall term by an epidemic of grippe and later by an outbreak of whooping cough. We hope in the new building to improve our attendance record.

SCHOLARSHIP

The standard of scholarship is in general good and our pupils are, for the most part, conscientious in preparing their assignments. There is a special period each day for pupils to make up work. The teachers are at all times glad to assist pupils who are experiencing difficulty with their work.

ORGANIZATION ENGLISH

In this department we aim to provide each student with a background of his common literary inheritance; to cultivate good taste in reading, and to develop to the highest degree possible for each individual, skill in self-expression, through the use of the English language (i. e.) speaking and writing.

The school library is under the supervision of the English department. A system of student supervision has been worked out so the library is in use the entire school day. The school is indebted to the Shedd-Porter library for the use of its books and magazines.

The librarian and trustees of the Shedd-Porter Library have been very cooperative and helpful and their fine spirit is very much appreciated.

Mrs. Vilas, Mr. Newell, and other friends have also given books for the school library.

The work of the Dramatic Club is correlated with the work in English. Two one-act plays have been selected. Work is being carried on with the idea of developing the individualities of as many students as possible rather than the polished presentations of a few. It is felt that good one-act plays are better adapted to our work than other types of plays. Instruction and practical work in costume, scenery, make-up, lighting, etc., will be provided for members from time to time.

The French course aims to teach the pupil to read with ease and understanding; to develop oral expression which will aid him to think in French and to guide him in gaining a knowledge of the people of the country.

MATHEMATICS

In the Junior High School courses are offered in arithmetic, concrete algebra and concrete geometry. In the Senior High School first course in Algebra, Plane Geometry, Advanced Algebra, and Trigonometry are offered. In all courses in mathematics

an effort is made to train the pupil, first to understand the problem and second to solve the problem by means of methods already studied.

SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

The Science Department offers four courses: General Science for Junior High, Biology, Physics, and Chemistry in the Senior High School. Seven periods per week are devoted to each of the above in the Senior High School, three periods in class discussion and four in the laboratory. The pupil has an opportunity to work out problems in the laboratory which are written up following a definite outline.

SOCIAL SCIENCES

The following courses are given: Junior High History and Geography. Senior High, History of Civilization, U. S. History, and Economics.

It is the purpose of the social studies to create an open mind and an appreciation of our civilization and to understand the chief modes of living in all parts of the world in the past as well as in the present.

COMMERCIAL COURSE

The following courses are offered: Junior Business Training, Bookkeeping, Stenography, Typewriting, and Office Practice.

The objectives of these courses are to give the student a working knowledge of the fundamentals of this subject. Stress is laid on the theory and practice of Bookkeeping, Stenography and Typewriting, with special emphasis on practical work in all three branches. Fixed standards must be met.

HOME ECONOMICS

Courses in Home Economics deal with problems and ideals in homemaking.

Juniors and seniors are offered the following courses. The House, Its Care and Management and Family Relationships on alternate years. The former course was offered at Vilas High

School in 1934-35. In this course we endeavor to solve problems in housing, financing, building, furnishing and equipping a home. We study and practice methods in cleaning and caring for the home.

Management problems in labor, time and money are studied.

Plans are made for the care of home grounds, the lawn and garden.

The courses offered for freshmen and sophomores are Clothing and Textiles and Foods and Nutrition on alternate years.

In the Clothing and Textile course, stress is placed on selection, use and care of fabrics.

Elements which contribute to personal attractiveness such as the care of the hair, skin and fingernails are studied, also color and line in costume design are emphasized.

Home Project work which is correlated with class work is carried on by each girl in the High School Home Economics course.

The purpose of project work is to give the girl a chance to work out real problems in a real situation, to make the home a better place in which to live, and to make herself as well as others, a more worthy member of the family.

The Junior High girls are given work in sewing and cooking. They learn to use the sewing machine, to make simple garments, to do simple embroidery stitches, and to care for their clothing.

The girls in cooking learn ways of preserving food, methods of preparing and serving simple meals and the great importance which food has on one's health.

AGRICULTURAL COURSE

The aim of the Agricultural Course is to prepare boys to become practical, intelligent, businesslike farmers, and useful citizens.

The scope of the work is based largely on the agriculture in the community and the home projects of the boys. Every boy

is required to have a home project each year. It is expected each boy will increase the size of his project from year to year so by his senior year he will have a good sized project.

The boys in the department are divided into two groups, one group consisting of Freshmen and Sophomores and the other of Juniors and Seniors. This year there are thirteen boys in the lower group and seven in the upper group.

Approximately one-third of the time is spent in the school shop. Here the work is made as practical as possible. The boys build such things as truck braces, chick feed hoppers, wheelbarrows, tool racks, etc. The boys have also overhauled a truck engine, pleasure car engine and we expect soon to be working on a tractor.

Our school was represented at the annual interscholastic judging contest held at the University of New Hampshire. Teams were entered in the following contests: Dairy Cattle, livestock, fruit, poultry, wood chopping, and wood identification. Four boys exhibited eggs in the egg and baby chick show held at Concord in January.

The practical, scientific and business points of farming are balanced so as to equip a boy to meet and solve the problems which will arise as he lives as a rural citizen.

The cooperation of the parents will determine to a great extent the value of the course to the boy, especially in assisting the supervision of the Home Projects.

MUSIC

All members of the student body participate in chorus singing, at least twice a week. Special work for those especially interested in music is given each Monday, at which time special training is given in instrumental and vocal music.

SOCIAL PROGRAMS

The social program calls for one event each month sponsored by a different class. The aim is instruction as well as entertain-

ment. To date instruction has been given in round dancing and the grand march. Socials have included a Hallowe'en party, a "nutty" party, a Christmas party, and a school carnival.

We have a Stamp Club, Commercial Club, and Agricultural Club which meet once each month. These clubs meet for social activities and also to sponsor assembly programs etc.

We have assembly programs once each week. These programs are put on by the various classes and occasionally an outside speaker is heard. Devotional exercises are held two mornings each week.

Athletic instruction is given in soccer, basketball and baseball. Regular interscholastic contests will be held in basketball and baseball but it is felt that a good intermural program should be conducted so as to give a large number of students a chance to participate.

Some parents have come to the school to talk over their children's problems. It is felt that this is very helpful and hope many more such visits by parents will be made.

The school nurse has examined the pupils and reports the desirability of a dental clinic. It is hoped it will be possible to carry out this program.

In behalf of the school, I wish to thank the people of Alstead, Acworth, Langdon, and Marlow who have supported our work and cooperated in making it more effective. I wish to make grateful acknowledgement of the cordial cooperation of the Grange, Outing Club, and other organizations while we were in the temporary school. May I also express appreciation to the superintendent, teachers, pupils, and parents for their whole-hearted cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
PAUL J. FENTON,
Headmaster, Vilas High School.

REPORT OF SUPERVISOR OF MUSIC

Mr. C. D. Dalzell,
Supt., of Schools
Walpole, N. H.
Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my first annual report as supervisor of music.

The schedule permits one day in the Vilas High School and the graded schools of Alstead village.

In the graded schools one-half hour is given each week in both rooms. In the primary room we have been training the child voice and the ear. We have only two pupils in this room at present classified as monotones. A toy orchestra has been started here. The instrument used by each child is a horse shoe which is struck by a long spike.

In the grammar room, books have been put into the hands of the pupils. They are studying note reading, instrumentation and the famous composers.

In the Vilas High School much interest is shown in the building up of an orchestra. At the beginning of the year we had one violin and one trumpet pupil. We have at the present time five violin pupils, five trumpets, one clarinet, one C melody saxophone and one trombone pupil. More pupils would be playing and studying instruments if they could get the instruments. It is hoped that the music department may later own the more unusual and more expensive instruments.

One forty minute period of choral singing is given in the Junior High School. The choral class in the high school is an elective subject. There are forty-eight pupils enrolled. This class plans to present an opperetta in the spring.

On January 23rd a music festival was held in the Vilas High School auditorium. The guests were Simonds Free High School orchestra, Walpole High School orchestra, Simonds double quartette, Walpole sextette and five boys from the Kurn Hatten band. A rehearsal was held in the morning which was attended by the music pupils of the Vilas High School. In the afternoon a program was presented before the high school. It is hoped that the program was an inspiration to the pupils of Vilas High School to have such organizations in their own school.

I wish to thank Miss Jones who has helped the pupils with their music during the week and also Mr. Fenton for his help and cooperation with the music department.

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE W. CURRIER.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE

Mr. C. D. Dalzell
Supt. of Schools,
Walpole, N. H.
Dear Sir:

I herewith submit my annual report as school nurse:

Inspection in Alstead showed the following defects:

223 pupils were examined.

52 pupils were underweight.

15 pupils showed defective vision—uncorrected.

5 pupils showed defective hearing.

116 pupils were in need of dental care.

25 pupils had enlarged or diseased tonsils.

10 pupils had enlarged neck glands.

19 pupils were unvaccinated without proper excuse.

6 pupils were vaccinated once unsuccessfully.

7 pupils from the Mica Mine school attended a dental clinic at Dr. G. Alex. Campbell's office, Keene, N. H., and had complete dental care.

32 pupils had their teeth cared for by their own dentist.

Tonsil clinics were held June 6th and Dec. 1st 1934.

2 tonsil cases were treated.

1 tonsil case was treated privately.

6 pupils have had special eye examination and defects corrected.

I wish to express to the superintendent, teachers, pupils and parents my appreciation for their help and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCES F. EDGETT, R. N.,
School Nurse.

REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD

July 1, 1933 to June 30, 1934

RECEIPTS

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Cash on hand, July, 1933, | \$1,494 61 |
| State aid, | 3,796 30 |
| Town treasurer, | 7,530 00 |
| Dog licenses, | 178 47 |
| Elementary school tuition, | 150 00 |
| Warren, Wells and Kingsbury funds, | 205 16 |
| School supplies sold, | 40 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total, | \$13,354 94 |

PAYMENTS

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Salaries of district officers, | \$150 00 |
| Superintendent's excess salary, | 200 00 |
| School census, | 10 00 |
| Expenses of administration, | 59 47 |
| Teachers' salaries, | 5,079 00 |
| Text books, | 150 81 |
| Scholars' supplies, | 148 22 |
| Flags and appurtenances, | 9 07 |
| Other expenses of instruction, | 11 88 |
| Janitor service, | 304 00 |
| Fuel, | 335 00 |
| Lights and janitor supplies, | 99 49 |
| Minor repairs and expenses, | 166 17 |
| Health supervision, | 140 00 |
| Transportation of pupils, | 1,294 19 |
| High school tuition, | 2,151 72 |
| Elementary school tuition, | 270 45 |

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|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Other special activities, | 5 06 |
| Per capita tax, | 250 00 |
| Insurance, | 205 42 |
| Temporary loan Vilas High School, | 564 69 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total payments, | \$11,604 64 |
| Balance on hand, June 30, 1934, | 1,750 30 |
| | <hr/> |
| Grand total, | \$13,354 94 |

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the School Board and find them correctly cast with proper vouchers.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,

Auditor.

ITEMIZED ACCOUNT

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

| | |
|--------------------|----------|
| Carroll E. Hatch, | \$35 50 |
| Dr. P. B. Stevens, | 35 50 |
| Maybelle H. Still, | 50 00 |
| H. L. Estabrook, | 25 00 |
| Elliot B. Watson, | 4 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$150 00 |

SUPERINTENDENT'S EXCESS SALARY

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| E. C. Green, union treasurer, | \$200 00 |
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| | \$200 00 |

SCHOOL CENSUS

| | |
|--------------|---------|
| M. H. Still, | \$10 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$10 00 |

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION

| | |
|-----------------------|--------|
| John H. Allen, | \$3 50 |
| Tuckers', | 3 35 |
| L. O. Thompson, | 1 87 |
| Chas. D. Dalzell, | 24 45 |
| Edson C. Eastman Co., | 8 15 |
| Leon M. Trow, | 12 00 |
| H. L. Estabrook, | 6 15 |

 \$59 47

TEACHERS' SALARIES

| | |
|--------------------|----------|
| Lewis A. Snow, | \$900 00 |
| Mildred Angier, | 820 00 |
| Margaret Schnare, | 900 00 |
| Minnie E. Smith, | 900 00 |
| Mildred Moulthrop, | 850 00 |
| Lulu Stylianas, | 629 00 |
| Doris Hitchcock, | 80 00 |

 \$5,079 00

TEXT BOOKS

| | |
|-------------------------|---------|
| Webster Publishing Co., | \$26 05 |
| Chas. E. Merrill Co., | 8 32 |
| D. C. Heath and Co., | 16 14 |
| E. E. Babb and Co., | 16 84 |
| John C. Winston, | 6 48 |
| Houghton Mifflin Co., | 5 51 |
| Bobbs Merrill Co., | 1 73 |
| Longmans Green & Co., | 8 04 |
| World Book Co., | 2 09 |
| R. M. Peterson and Co., | 1 06 |
| The McMillan Co., | 5 10 |
| L. W. Linger Co., | 46 51 |
| Ginn & Co., | 1 70 |

| | |
|--------------------------|------|
| Benjamin H. Sanborn Co., | 5 24 |
|--------------------------|------|

\$150 81

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

| | |
|--------------------------|--------|
| Philip H. James, | \$2 50 |
| J. L. Hammett Co., | 76 17 |
| Bellows Falls Paper Co., | 21 43 |
| Janer and Blosier Co., | 3 31 |
| Beckley Cardy Co., | 2 35 |
| Mt. Kilburn Paper Co., | 7 42 |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., | 10 72 |
| Rockingham Paper Co., | 21 52 |
| Philip H. James Co., | 2 80 |

\$148 22

FLAGS AND APPURTENANCES

| | |
|--------------------|--------|
| J. L. Hammett Co., | \$9 07 |
|--------------------|--------|

\$9 07

OTHER EXPENSES OF INSTRUCTION

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Tuckers', | \$1 92 |
| Pecks' Drug Store, | 80 |
| World Book Co., | 3 51 |
| The Studio of Moore Bros., | 3 25 |
| E. T. Plantier, | 2 40 |

\$11 88

JANITOR SERVICE

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| Clifford Marvin, | \$150 00 |
| William Molesky, | 14 00 |
| Minnie E. Smith, | 43 00 |
| Lulu Stylianas, | 37 00 |
| Willie LeFluer, | 37 00 |
| Lenis A. Snow, | 23 00 |

\$304 00

FUEL

| | |
|----------------------|---------|
| Samuel Craig, | \$32 50 |
| Joe Tinker, | 30 00 |
| George Burroughs, | 28 00 |
| Chas. H. Simmons, | 35 00 |
| Floyd Rhoades, | 28 00 |
| Arthur M. Hall, | 7 00 |
| John Smith, | 32 00 |
| Howard Hardware Co., | 127 50 |
| Earl Pitcher, | 15 00 |

 \$335 00

WATER, LIGHT, and JANITOR SUPPLIES

| | |
|--|---------|
| Grafton Co., Electric Light & Power Co., | \$16 67 |
| Masury Young Co., | 2 79 |
| Rochester Geracide Co., | 23 13 |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., | 22 68 |
| Bellows Falls Paper Co., | 30 50 |
| J. L. Hammett Co., | 3 72 |

 \$99 49

MINOR REPAIRS AND EXPENSES

| | |
|--------------------|---------|
| Miller Brothers, | \$14 00 |
| Pauline Rhoades, | 3 00 |
| Bayard Rhoades, | 1 00 |
| M. H. Still, | 6 00 |
| Don H. Sprague, | 20 59 |
| Samuel Craig, | 31 33 |
| Melvina Lukserisk, | 5 00 |
| B. R. Taylor, | 38 13 |
| H. C. Metcalf, | 19 92 |
| Edith Burroughs, | 14 00 |
| Elmer Rhoades , | 11 20 |
| E. F. Batchelder, | 2 00 |

 \$166 17

HEALTH SUPERVISION

| | | |
|--------------------------------|----------|----------|
| E. C. Greene, union treasurer, | \$140 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$140 00 |

TRANSPORTATION

| | | |
|--------------------|----------|------------|
| Mrs. H. O. Porter, | \$387 06 | |
| Miss F. Hammond, | 281 60 | |
| Harold Lund, | 320 40 | |
| John Allen, | 266 53 | |
| Murl Taggart, | 5 60 | |
| Rollin Hamlin, | 33 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,294 19 |

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

| | | |
|---------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Union School District of Keene, | \$273 72 | |
| School District of Rockingham, | 1,702 00 | |
| School District of Walpole, | 176 00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$2,151 72 |

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TUITION

| | | |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|
| School District of Walpole, | \$270 45 | |
| | <hr/> | \$270 45 |

OTHER SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

| | | |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|
| Horace Partridge Co., | \$5 06 | |
| | <hr/> | \$5 06 |

INSURANCE

| | | |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|
| Bartlett Insurance Agency, | \$127 92 | |
| G. H. Aldrich, | 77 50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$205 42 |

PER CAPITAL TAX

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| State treasurer, | \$250 00 |
|------------------|----------|

\$250 00

TEMPORARY LOAN VILAS HIGH SCHOOL

| | |
|------------------|----------|
| Floyd Bellows, | \$108 45 |
| Carl Pratt, | 104 33 |
| M. C. Dodge, | 69 20 |
| James Brooks, | 69 50 |
| Turner Bellows, | 24 00 |
| George A. Albee, | 84 25 |
| H. C. Metcalf, | 104 96 |

\$564 69

CARROLL E. HATCH,
MAYBELLE H. STILL,
DR. P. B. STEVENS,

School Board.

REPORT OF DISTRICT SCHOOL TREASURER

Juyy 1, 1933 to June 30, 1934

RECEIPTS

| | |
|---|-------------|
| Cash on hand July 1, 1933, | \$594 61 |
| From selectmen, town appropriations, | \$7,530 00 |
| From selectmen, balance previous appropriations, | 900 00 |
| From selectmen, dog tax, | 178 47 |
| From trustees of trust funds, Warren Fund, | 178 75 |
| From trustees of trust funds, Kingsbury Fund, | 18 54 |
| From trustees of trust funds, Wells Fund, | 7 87 |
| From state treasurer (State & Federal Aid), | 3,796 30 |
| From all other sources, | 150 40 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$12,760 33 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total amount available for fiscal year, | \$13,354 94 |

EXPENDITURES

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Less School Board orders paid, | 11,604 64 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on Hand June 30, 1934, | \$1,750 30 |

H. L. ESTABROOK,
District Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, and bank statments of the School Treasurer and find them correct.

ELLIOT B. WATSON,
Auditor.

TEMPORARY FINANCIAL REPORT FROM JULY 1, 1934 TO FEB. 8. 1935

ALSTEAD ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--|------------|
| Balance, | \$1,750 30 |
| Langdon tuition, | 21 00 |
| Refund on Porter insurance, | 5 05 |
| Received from town treasurer, | 3,000 00 |
| Received from Fred Griffith for stove, | 2 00 |
| From state, equalization fund, | 3,545 21 |
| Rent of Lawton house, | 105 00 |
| Kingsbury fund, | 18 18 |
| Warren fund, | 175 77 |
| Wells fund, | 7 87 |
| Total receipts, | \$8,630 38 |

PAYMENTS

| | |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Superintendent's excess salary, | \$260 00 |
| School census, | 10 00 |
| Expenses of administration, | 31 31 |
| Teachers' salaries, | 2,615 80 |
| Text books, | 96 14 |
| Scholars' supplies, | 95 90 |
| Other expenses of instruction, | 21 49 |
| Janitor service, | 120 50 |
| Fuel, | 129 50 |
| Janitors' supplies, | 59 37 |
| Medical inspection, | 87 50 |
| Minor repairs, | 112 55 |
| Transportation, | 1,081 05 |
| Elementary tuition, | 46 00 |
| Other special activities, | 3 36 |
| Insurance, | 87 50 |

| | |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Temporary loan, Lawton house, | 514 07 |
| Per Capita tax, | 282 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total payments, | \$5,654 04 |
| Balance, February 8, 1935, | \$2,976 34 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total, | \$8,630 38 |

TEMPORARY HIGH SCHOOL

September 15, 1934 to January 4, 1935

RECEIPTS

| | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Bank note, Walpole Savings Bank, | \$3,000 00 | |
| Bank note, Walpole Savings Bank, | 2,000 00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total, | | \$5,000 00 |

PAYMENTS

| | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Expenses of administration, | \$17 05 | |
| Teachers' salaries, | 3,042 73 | |
| Text books, | 815 69 | |
| Scholars' supplies, | 172 25 | |
| Other expenses of instruction, | 157 94 | |
| Janitor service, | 256 89 | |
| Fuel, | 99 97 | |
| Water, light, and janitor supplies, | 25 84 | |
| Other special activities, | 19 75 | |
| New equipment, | 45 46 | |
| Alterations, furnishings, | 161 39 | |
| Alterations, on building, | 137 43 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total, | | \$4,952 39 |
| Balance, | | 47 61 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$5,000 00 |

REIMBURSEMENTS

| | |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Balance, as above, | \$47 61 |
| Langdon, for tuition, | 124 00 |
| Acworth, for tuition, | 1,057 56 |
| Marlow, for tuition, | 437 00 |
| Dr. Stevens, heater and wall board, | 30 00 |
| Mr. Carmen, | 16 50 |

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|---|--------|------------|
| Vilas fund, books and equipment transferred, | 861 15 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total, paid to Walpole Savings Bank, on notes, | | \$2,513 82 |
| Balance due on notes, | | \$2,426 18 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$5,000 00 |

VILAS HIGH SCHOOL
To February 8, 1935

RECEIPTS

| | |
|-------------|------------|
| Vilas fund, | \$7,500 00 |
|-------------|------------|

PAYMENTS

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Expenses of administration, | \$88 75 |
| Teachers' salaries, | 1,160 22 |
| Text books, | 1,235 53 |
| Scholars' supplies, | 65 95 |
| Other expenses of instruction, | 96 13 |
| Janitor service, | 132 00 |
| Fuel, | 397 32 |
| Janitors' supplies, | 44 28 |
| New equipment, | 214 01 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total, | \$3,434 19 |
| Balance, | 4,065 81 |
| | <hr/> \$7,500 00 |

VILAS HIGH SCHOOL SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT

In addition to the equipment and supplies included in the above report, the following necessary items have been purchased. Bills will be submitted as soon as the material is checked and necessary adjustments are made.

| | |
|---|----------|
| Nine typewriters at \$60.00, | \$540 00 |
| One mimeograph, | 100 00 |
| Two hand sewing machines at \$52.81, | 105 62 |
| One electric sewing machine, | 66 00 |
| Materials and equipment for floor maintenance, | 108 87 |
| Equipment for Physics laboratory, | 859 60 |
| Equipment for Biology laboratory, | 60 71 |
| <hr/> | |
| Total, | 1,840 80 |

Arrangements have been made for the immediate purchase of the following necessary equipment:—

| | Estimates |
|--|-----------|
| Cooking room equipment for each of four units, | \$85 00 |
| General kitchen equipment, | 50 00 |
| Equipment for dinnette, | 40 00 |
| Twelve waste baskets, | 25 00 |
| Seven waste receptacles, | 60 00 |
| Two sanitary receptacles, | 10 00 |
| Babcock milk tester, | 49 00 |
| Machine for floor maintenance, | 125 00 |
| Office records equipment, | 25 00 |
| Sewing room supplies, | 20 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$489 00 |

The following equipment should be purchased before the opening of the next school year:—

| | Estimates |
|---|------------|
| Apparatus for Chemistry and General science, | \$1,200 00 |
| Books for chemistry, social science, physiography, general science, etc., | 500 00 |
| Lunch room equipment, | 125 00 |
| Home nursing supplies, | 40 00 |
| Piano, | 400 00 |
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| Total, | \$2,265 00 |
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| Grand total, | \$4,594 80 |

The above report does not include reference material, maps, dictionary, etc., for the school library. Some of this material should be purchased each year until the library is suitably equipped.

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1935-1936

DETAILED STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

| Support of schools: | Elem. | Totals |
|---|------------|------------|
| Teachers' salaries, .. | \$5,500 00 | |
| Text books, | 150 00 | |
| Scholars' supplies, | 150 00 | |
| Flags, etc., | 10 00 | |
| Other expenses of inst., | 35 00 | |
| Janitor service, | 500 00 | |
| Fuel, | 335 00 | |
| Water, light, etc., | 100 00 | |
| Minor repairs, etc., | 150 00 | |
| Health supervision, | 140 00 | |
| Transportation, | 1,950 00 | |
| Other special activities, | 10 00 | |
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| | | \$9,035 00 |
| Other statutory requirements: | | |
| Salaries of district officers, | \$300 00 | |
| Truant officer and census, | 10 00 | |
| Superintendent's salary, | 260 00 | |
| Per Capita tax, | 286 00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | 856 00 |
| Total amount required to meet S. B. budget, | | <hr/> |
| | | \$9,891 00 |

ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT

| | |
|-----------------|------------|
| Balance June 30 | |
| State aid, | \$3,223 85 |
| Dog tax, | 150 00 |
| Trust funds, | 190 00 |

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| Elementary school tuitions, | 37 00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$3,600 85 |
| | <hr/> |
| Assessment required to balance S. B. budget, | \$6,290 15 |

MAYBELLE H. STILL,
 PARKER B. STEVENS, M. D.,
 CARROLL E. HATCH,
 School Board.

VITAL STATISTICS

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1889, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1934

| Date of Birth. | Name of Child (if any.) | Sex and Condition. | | | Name of Father. | Maiden Name of Mother. | Occupation of Father. | Birthplace of Father. | Birthplace of Mother. | Age of Father. | Age of Mother. |
|----------------|----------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| | | Male or Female. | Living or Stillborn. | No. of child 1st, 2d, etc. | | | | | | | |
| Apr. 13 | Westley B. Crosby | M | L | 3 | Ora Crosby | Pauline Ellis | Laborer | Alstead | Cambridge, Vt. | | |
| 25 | Jesse O. Wheeler | M | L | 2 | Clifford O. Wheeler | Margaret Hammond | Farmer | Unknown | Boynton, Mass. | | |
| June 1 | Janice M. Tuttle | F | L | 2 | Flint L. Tuttle | Ruth Kemp | Paper mill | Langdon | Charlestown | | |
| July 12 | Mae C. Clark | F | L | 6 | Hugh D. Clark | Anna C. Callohill | Farmer | Alstead | Goshen | | |
| Aug. 26 | Mildred I. Craig | F | L | 1 | Willis H. Craig | Edna M. Hodskins | Orchadist | Alstead | Surry | | |
| Oct. 7 | Frances V. Moleski | F | L | 11 | Michael Moleski | Petreona Kesski | Miner | Russia | Russia | | |
| Nov. 20 | Shirley A. Hutchinson | F | L | 2 | | Dorothy Brown | | Russia | Franklin | | |

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1934

| Date of Marriage. | Place of Marriage. | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride. | Residence of each at time of Marriage | Age in Years | Occupation of Groom and Bride. | Place of Birth of each. | Names of Parents. | Birthplace of Parents. | Condition* | Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married. |
|-------------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|------------|---|
| Feb. 12 Alstead | | Joseph C. Tinker | Alstead | 50 | Lumberman | Alstead | Sanford Tinker | Marlow | 2d | Rv C A Nunn |
| | | Ruth E. Farr | Winchester | 29 | Housework | Troy | Alfred Woodard | Athol, Mass. | 2d | Gilsum |
| June 23 No. Walpole | | Peter Action | Alstead | 26 | Miner | B. Falls, Vt. | Julius Action | Lithuania | 1st | Rv E P Farrell |
| | | Minnie Nagine | No. Richmond | 25 | Housework | E. Hampton, Ms | Charlie Nagine | Lithuania | 1st | No. Walpole |
| July 20 Alstead | | Geo. E. Hodskins | Alstead | 24 | Laborer | Walpole | John E. Hodskins | Alstead | 1st | H Dennett, J P |
| | | Helen M. Hamblen | Alstead | 20 | At home | West Claremont | Rollin B. Hamblen | Kickapoo, Ind. | 1st | Alstead |
| Sept. 22 Alstead | | Wm. L. Russell | Alstead | 23 | Laborer | Warner | Charlie Russell | Sharon, Vt. | 1st | H Dennett, J P |
| | | Angelina M. Russell | Alstead | 16 | At home | Healdville, Vt. | Horace Russell | Acworth | 1st | Alstead |
| Oct. 21 Colchester, Vt. | | Morris S. Ring | Newport | 29 | Barber | Newport | John E. Ring | Newbury | 2d | Rv C G King |
| | | Alma E. Metcalf | Alstead | 28 | At home | Alstead | Henry C. Metcalf | Lempster | 1st | Colchester, Vt. |
| Oct. 3 Alstead | | Edward J. Porter | Alstead | 18 | Farming | Alstead | Henry O. Porter | Alstead | 1st | Rv E H Johnson |
| | | Florence Hodskins | Gilsum | 18 | At home | Gilsum | Fred W. Hodskins | Walpole | 1st | Alstead |
| Oct. 28 Alstead | | Geo. L. Bowhay | Alstead | 23 | Clerk | Worcester, Ms. | George Bowhay | Guns Lake, Eng | 1st | Rv F A Kimball |
| | | Evelyn B. Foster | Alstead | 18 | At home | Alstead | Bert E. Foster | Marlow | 1st | B. Falls, Vt. |
| Oct. 19 Walpole | | Albert H. Dennis | Providence, RI | 31 | Leather | Worcester, Ms. | Edmond Dennis | Fall River, Ms. | 1st | M E Costin, J P |
| | | Eva Cater | Alstead | 20 | Housework | Alstead | Lucy Cater | Alstead | 1st | No. Walpole |

*What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1934

| Date of Marriage. | Place of Marriage. | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride. | Residence of each at time of Marriage | Age in years. | Occupation of Groom and Bride. | Place of Birth of each. | Names of Parents. | Birthplace of Parents. | * Condition | Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married. |
|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|------------------------|-------------|---|
| Sept. 23 | B. Falls, Vt. | Adam J. Gryszko | Alstead | 26 | Wax mill | Alstead | Adam Gryszko | Poland | 1st | Rv F Warner |
| | | Pauline A. Kalodziej | Walpole | 21 | | B. Falls, Vt. | Michael Kolodziej | Poland | 1st | B. Falls, Vt. |

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF ALSTEAD, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1934

| Date of Death. | Name and Surname of the Deceased. | Age | | | Place of Birth. | Sex and Condition | Place of Birth. | | Name of Father. | Maiden Name of Mother. |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|--------|---------|-------|------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| | | Years. | Months. | Days. | | | Father. | Mother. | | |
| Feb. 12 | Etta W. Knight | 70 | 4 | 9 | Langdon | F | M | New Hampshire | Otis Walker | Orpha Thurston |
| " 25 | Caroline S. Howard | 77 | 9 | 23 | Alstead | F | F | New Hampshire | Elisha Kent | Felina B. Shepherd |
| Feb. 2 | Lucy A. Linsley | 82 | 2 | 6 | Alstead | F | M | New Hampshire | John V. Green | Myra A. Curtis |
| Mar 16 | Joseph C. Tinker | 49 | 3 | 7 | Alstead | M | M | New Hampshire | Sanford Tinker | Mary Porter |
| " 29 | Edith P. Brooks | 21 | 3 | 7 | Charlestown | F | M | Alstead | Oscar Pratt | Sarah Wilder |
| " 25 | Harvey T. Moore | 31 | 7 | 24 | Plymouth, Vt. | M | S | Plymouth, Vt. | Thomas H. Moore | Eva Tredo |
| May 19 | John H. McDurley | 28 | 1 | 16 | Essex, N. Y. | M | M | No Ferrisburg, Vt | Fred H. McDurley | Ruth Kemp |
| June 15 | Janice M. Tuttle | 0 | 0 | 14 | Alstead | F | S | Langdon | Flint Tuttle | Elathine Pearson |
| Aug. 4 | Fred Pratt | 68 | 3 | 12 | Walpole | M | W | Walpole | Oliver Pratt | Laura Cooper |
| Sept. 8 | Ellen M. Currier | 95 | 9 | 25 | Langdon | F | W | Langdon, N. H. | Esdras Smith | Arvilla Flint |
| Nov. 5 | Charles E. Ellis | 75 | 7 | 15 | Alstead | M | M | Alstead | Elijah Ellis | Lucinda Randall |
| " 16 | Olive L. Ellis | 65 | 10 | 27 | Springfield, Vt. | F | W | Springfield, Vt. | Horace Runwell | Betsy Sheldon |
| Oct. 18 | George Nichols | 75 | 5 | 23 | Woodstock, Vt. | M | S | Springfield, Vt. | Benjamin Hendricks | Calista Clark |
| Dec. 4 | Martha E. Wilber | 85 | 0 | 2 | Wheelock, Vt. | F | W | Richford, Vt. | Mason T. Jeffis | |
| July 10 | John R. Jeffis | 64 | 20 | 8 | Alstead | M | M | Langdon | | |

BROUGHT TO TOWN FOR BURIAL

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------|----------------|----|----|----|---------------|---|---|---------|------------------|----------------------|
| 1933 | Joseph Beirne | 45 | 3 | 24 | Orange, N. J. | M | M | Ireland | Patric J. Beirne | Katherine Fitzgerald |
| Dec. 14 1934 | Harry A. Cooke | 58 | 11 | 9 | Alstead | M | M | Alstead | Oliver A. Cooke | Nettie Taylor |
| Aug. 7 | Ella Blanchard | 80 | 1 | 13 | | F | W | | | |

*Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HENRY C. METCALF,
Town Clerk.

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